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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of:

Sushma Shrikant Triveda, et al.

Application No: 10/038,431

Filed: December 31, 2001

For: Method and Apparatus for

Computing Vector Absolute

Differences

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a two months extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed February 15, 2002, for which a two months response period expiring on April 15, 2002 was set. The extended period expires on June 15, 2002.

A check for \$ 400.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for a two months' extension of time. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: $\frac{5/30}{}$, 2002

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